

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application Number : 10/725,076 Confirmation No.: 2702  
Applicant : Mark ZOLLER, *et al.*  
Filed : December 2, 2003  
Title : Binding assays that use the T1R2/T1R3 (sweet) taste receptor to  
: identify compounds that elicit or modulate sweet taste  
TC/Art Unit : 1647  
Examiner: : Robert S. Landsman  
Docket No. : 67824.713001  
Customer No. : 21967

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT & RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

Applicants provide the following amendments and remarks in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 25, 2009, in the above-captioned application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2;

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 with Replacement Sheets attached hereto;  
and

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.